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## FARMER/RANCHER AFFIDAVIT

Registration fees for a farm vehicle having an unladen weight of 10,000 pounds or more may be based on the unladen weight of the vehicle rather than the declared gross weight.

Pursuant to NRS 482.036 "Farm vehicle" means any vehicle or combination of vehicles which is:

- 1. Controlled and operated by a farmer or rancher;
- 2. Used to transport his own livestock, agricultural products, ranch or farm machinery or supplies to and from a ranch or farm; and
- 3. Not used in the operation of a common or contract carrier.

For the purpose of NRS 482.036 and 706.071 and pursuant to NAC 482.430, "Farmer" or "Rancher" means a person who derived at least two-thirds of his gross income for the previous tax year from cultivating the soil or raising agricultural commodities, including such activates as:

- 1. The operation of stock, poultry, bee, fruit, or truck farm;
- 2. The operation of dairy, plantation, ranch, nursery, or orchard;
- 3. The collection of a portion of share crops;
- 4. The sale of draft, dairy, range, or sporting livestock; or
- 5. The sale of livestock for breeding.

For the purpose of this section, "gross income" does not include wages received as a farm or ranch employee or passive income from a farm or ranch corporation.

A person who applies to the DMV for the registration of a farm vehicle will submit upon the appropriate form furnished by the DMV an affidavit stating:

- 1. He is a farmer or rancher as defined in NAC 482.430, and
- 2. His vehicle is a farm vehicle as defined in NRS 482.036.

Such an applicant shall also submit any additional proof deemed necessary by the DMV to establish he is a farmer or rancher.

If the registration of a farm vehicle is based upon a false or fraudulent affidavit or application for registration, the DMV will, upon discovery of the fact, suspend the registration of the vehicle and require the license plates issued to the vehicle be returned to the DMV.

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Complete a separate affidavit for each power unit or attach a list of all vehicles.
- 2. Have unladen vehicle or combination of vehicles weighed by a certified public weigh master.
- 3. Submit the completed affidavit, weight certificate and documents for registration or renewal in person to the nearest DMV or where applicable, county assessor's office, or by mail to the address below. If the unladen weight exceeds 26,000 pounds, submit the completed affidavit, weight certificate and documents for registration or renewal to the nearest DMV with a Motor Carrier Section, to find locations with a Motor Carrier Section office check the web at www.dmvnv.com or mail to: Department of Motor Vehicles, Compliance Enforcement Division, Motor Carrier Section, 555 Wright Way, Carson City, NV 89711.
- 4. If the gross or combined gross weight exceeds 26,000 pounds and the vehicle uses special fuel, contact the Department of Motor Vehicles, Compliance Enforcement Division, Motor Carrier Section for a special fuel license. You may call 775/684-4DMV (4368) and select option 5.
- 5. If the gross or combined weight exceeds 55,000 pounds an IRS Form 2290 Heavy Vehicle Use Tax must be filed.

Please print or type			
Vehicle Identification No			
Year Make	Туре	Model	
Unladen Weight G	ross or Combined Gross	Vehicle Weight	
Motor Carrier Account Number, if applica	able		
License No Year of Expira	ation	_ State of Issue	
Affiant's Full Legal Name			
Registered Owner's Full Legal Name (if di	ifferent from Affiant)		
Address			
Street	City	State	Zip Code
Affiant's Legal Signature		Date	
Subscribed and sworn to before me this	day of	, 20	-
Notary Public or Authorized Nevada DM	V Representative		-